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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants hereby respectfully petition for a two-month extension of time to file a response to the Office Action of October 23, 1991, 1991. This petition is for a first extension of time originally set for response, that is, January 23, 1992. With the granting of this request, the time for response is March 23, 1992.

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Please charge Deposit Account No. 08-2525 in the amount of \$300.00, the fee due under 37 CFR 1.17 for this petition. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-2525. A triplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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